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1. THE FOLLOWING FIGURES WERE OBTAINED FROM COMPANIES' ANNUAL
REPORTS FOR 1974:

KUWAIT PROPER:

A) KUWAIT OIL COMPANY

PRODUCTION OF CRUDE OIL 830,579,951 BARRELS

REFINERY INPUT 47,462,070 "

LPG 1,865,003 LONG TONS

CRUDE EXPORTS 736,128,642 BARRELS

REFINED PRODUCTS EXPORTS 40,472,807 "

LPG EXPORTS 20,523,306 "

B) KUWAIT NATIONAL PETROLEUM CO.

REFINERY PRODUCTION

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FUEL OIL 2,172,100 METRIC TONS

DIESEL OILS	1,587,100 "
NAPHTHA	115329PPV "
KEROSENE	761,000 "
GASOLINE AND REFORMATE	225,000 "
TOTAL REFINERY EXPORTS	5,398,100 M.T.

C) PARTITIONED ZONE KUWAIT'S SHARE (SEE REF.B, NO CHANGE)

2. THE FOLLOWING PRODUCTS WERE IMPORTED:

	IMPORTS	RE-EXPORTS
	M.T.	M.T.
LUBRICATING OIL	31,022,701	1,432,049
LUBRICATING GREASES	810,332	19,717
PETROLEUM BITUMEN	30,345,972	3,925,380
PETROLATUM AND WAXES	10,256	-
BITUMINOUS MIXTURES	1,901,884	479,674

SOURCE: KUWAIT PLANNING BOARD, STATISTICAL BULLETIN

3. THE FOLLOWING FIGURES FOR 1975 WERE OBTAINED BY COMPANIES:

A) KUWAIT OIL COMPANY

I) CRUDE INPUT 80,000 B/D

II) REFINERY OUTPUT

GASOLINE (AVIATION AND MOTOR	20,000 B/D
DISTILLATE FUEL OIL	20,000 "
RESIDUAL FUEL OIL	40,000 "
BITUMEN	100 TONS/DAY

B) KUWAIT NATIONAL PETROLEUM CO.

I) CRUDE INPUT 181,053 B/D

II) REFINERY PUTPUT:

NAPHTHA	15.1 000 B/D
GASOLINE AND REFORMATE	4.1 000 "
KEROSENE	9.2 000 "
DIESEL	36.1 000 "
FUEL OIL	27.5 000 "

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4. COMMENT: EMBASSY APPRECIATES BUREAU OF MINES' DESIRE TO HAVE AS DETAILED INFORMATION AS POSSIBLE. HOWEVER, WITH VIRTUALLY COMPLETE GOVERNMENT OWNERSHIP OF OIL INDUSTRY NOW, IT HAS BECOME EXTREMELY DIFFICULT TO OBTAIN PETROLEUM STATISTICS ANYWHERE NEAR AS DETAILED AS HAD BEEN CASE UNTIL YEAR OR SO AGO. OIL COMPANY SOURCES PROVIDED

STATISTICS CONTAINED ABOVE WITH RELUCTANCE. ALL EFFORTS
SHOULD BE MADE TO AVOID LISTING COMPANIES AS SOURCES
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